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Applicant: Kurt Hoffmaster  
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Dear Sir:

I am herewith inquiring about the status of the above-referenced U.S. patent application. Please feel free to call me at 215-241-5666 or mail the appropriate correspondence to the above-listed address to my attention.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

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